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DIVISION OF  
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State of Utah  
Department of Natural Resources  
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
355 West North Temple  
3 Triad Center, Suite 350  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203

Attention: D. Wayne Hedberg

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

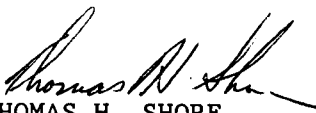
I recently received the attached letter from H.E. Davis and Sons, whereby they are requesting the release of a portion of a performance bond that covers a mining activity on the National Forest. The mining activity is a gypsum quarry located southeast of Levan, Juab County, Utah.

The request for the release was prompted by a site inspection and reclamation estimate made by Mr. Holland Shepherd, Senior Reclamation Specialist, on January 26, 1993. The surety estimate prepared by Mr. Shepherd was for \$22,100. We currently have a performance bond secured in the amount of \$33,000, which was based on our reclamation estimate prepared at the time the Plan of Operations was approved.

In a letter we received from your office dated February 18, 1993 there is reference made under item R647-4-113 of a draft surety estimate prepared by the Division with copy attached. In the letter we received, there was no copy attached of a surety estimate. At this time, we would like to request a copy of the surety estimate be sent to us. This would enable us to compare reclamation estimate calculations and prepare a response back to Mr. Davis's request.

Your cooperation in the administration of this mining activity is appreciated.

Sincerely,

  
THOMAS H. SHORE  
District Ranger

cc: H.E. Davis and Sons  
525 West Arrowhead Trail  
Spanish Fork, Utah 84660

# H. E. DAVIS AND SONS

525 West Arrowhead Trail  
Spanish Fork, Utah 84660  
(801) 798-7355

February 15, 1993

Mr. Thomas H. Shore  
U.S. Department of Agriculture  
Forest Service, Manti-Lasal  
150 South Main 6-4  
Ephraim, UT 84627

RE: H.E. Davis & Sons, Inc., Henry 1 & 2 Mine  
M/023/023, Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Shore:

On January 26, 1993, a site inspection was done of the above mentioned mine with Mr. Holland Shepherd, Senior Reclamation Specialist with the State of Utah. Mr. Holland determined the reclamation estimate is \$22,100, about \$11,000 less than what the forest service estimated.

Therefore, I am requesting release of \$11,000 of the current \$33,000 bond with the forest service.

If you need additional information, please call me.

Sincerely,

*Harold E. Davis*

Harold E. Davis  
President

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